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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified
application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

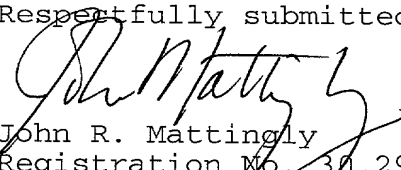
Rewrite claim 6 as follows:

6. (Once Amended) A RF oscillator according to claim 1,
wherein a chip capacitor connected to the microwave monolithic
integrated circuit chip is loaded on the conductor chip.

REMARKS

Examination is requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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MARKED UP VERSION OF REWRITTEN CLAIMS

6. (Once Amended) A RF oscillator according to claim 1, [2, 3, 4 or 5,] wherein a chip capacitor connected to the microwave monolithic integrated circuit chip is loaded on the conductor chip.